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Alexander Announces DOT Funding for Union Parish

\$79,135 Will Help Update Airport Master Plan Study

WASHINGTON, D.C. – U.S. Rep. Rodney Alexander, R-Quitman, today announced that the U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) will award \$79,135 to the Union Parish Police Jury.

The grant is being disbursed by the DOT through the Federal Aviation Administration. It is intended to help the Union Parish Police Jury update the Airport Layout Plan as well as identify capital improvement needs required at this airport.

“I am glad to see this money going to help improve the Union Parish Airport,” said Alexander, who has fought hard to secure support for transportation programs in the 5th District. **“Having a strong transportation infrastructure is one of the keys for economic development and all of Union Parish benefits from having a good airport close to home.”**

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